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Amend claim 25 to read:

As 25. (Amended) A fluidizable catalytic cracking product sulfur reduction catalyst according to claim 17 formulated as an integrated fluidizable cracking/product sulfur reduction catalyst for cracking a heavy hydrocarbon feed to produce liquid cracking products including gasoline and reducing the sulfur content of the catalytically cracked gasoline fraction during the catalytic cracking process, which comprises fluidizable particles having a size ranging from about 20 to about 100 microns of a zeolite hydrocarbon cracking catalyst component in a matrix comprising alumina or silica-alumina with clay, the zeolite having a bulk silica:alumina ratio of at least 5.0 which contains located within the pore structure of the zeolite (i) a first metal component which comprises vanadium in an oxidation state greater than zero and (ii) and a second metal component which comprises cerium, in which the metal components have has been introduced into the zeolite as exchanged cationic species within the zeolite pores.

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Remarks

- 1.1. This amendment is in response to the Official Action of 25 June 2001 (Paper No. 7).
- 1.2. Entry of the amendments set out above is requested. A marked up copy of the amended claims is attached in accordance with the requirements of 37 CFR 1.121(b) and (c).
2. Applicants note the Examiner's position regarding the election/restriction requirement. The election of the composition claims is affirmed and the method claims have been cancelled.
3. The claims, especially independent claim 17, have been amended to specify that the metal component of the sulfur reduction catalyst comprises vanadium and that the two